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TRUSTEES' MEETING

CITY FATHERS IN REGULAR SESSION TRANSACT BUSINESS MONDAY EVENING

The regular weekly meeting of the Board of Trustees was held in the City Hall Monday evening. There was no unusual excitement. Everybody present, including the visitors, seemed to be good-natured and not anxious to find fault. Half a dozen representatives of various water-pipe companies were present to hear the bids read for the purchase of water pipe and fittings. There were also a number of representatives of oil companies present to hear the bids read for the furnishing of fuel oil to the city for one year.

There were other citizens present for reasons of their own. The plan of the property owners of being present at the meetings of the Board of Trustees is a good one. Every property owner has a right to know what is being done with the money that he and his neighbors pay as taxes.

Trustees Chas. Grist, J. S. Thompson, A. W. Tower and George Williams were present, as was also O. A. Lane, president of the board. J. C. Sherer, city clerk, was absent, and A. W. Tower was on motion elected clerk pro tem. J. S. Thompson served as minute clerk. Tower made a good record as clerk throughout the evening and only once allowed his mind to revert back to two years ago, and that was when calling roll he added "Coker" to the honorable list of trustees.

The clerk pro tem. read the minutes of the preceding meeting and the same, with one correction, were approved.

On motion of Trustee Williams the bids for furnishing water pipe were ordered opened, read and publicly declared.

The companies bidding and their bids are as follows:

Boytoun Co.—For 4-inch pipe, \$34.60; 6-inch, \$32.60; specials, \$65.00.

U. S. Cast Iron Co.—4-inch pipe, \$34.60; 6-inch, \$32.60; specials, \$62.60.

McNear—4-inch pipe, \$34.00; 6-inch, \$32.00; specials, \$60.60.

Allen—4-inch pipe, \$38.00; 6-inch, \$36.50; specials, \$75.00.

American Foundry Co.—4-inch pipe, \$30.00; 6-inch, \$30.00; specials, \$35.00.

American Cast Iron & Foundry Co.—4-inch pipe, \$34.60; 6-inch, \$32.60; specials, \$62.60.

Crane—4-inch pipe, \$34.60; 6-inch, \$32.60; specials, \$62.10.

On motion of Trustee Thompson the bids were referred to the manager of the public service department, who later in the evening reported that he had gone over the bids carefully and he had found that some of the companies bidding the lowest were strangers to him, and it would therefore be necessary for him to take a little time to look them up.

On motion by Trustee Thompson the bids for furnishing fuel oil to the city for one year were ordered opened, read and publicly declared. The bids were as follows, the cars to be placed on the Southern Pacific track at Sepulveda:

Doran, Brouse & Price, per barrel, 62½ cents.

Union Oil company, per barrel, 69 cents.

Associated Oil company, per barrel, 74 cents.

Standard Oil company, per barrel, 74 cents.

National Petroleum company, per barrel, 68 cents.

On motion of Trustee, Chas. Grist the bids were referred to the manager of the public service department.

A gentleman by the name of Bromley asked for a permit to conduct a popcorn stand on a vacant lot on Brand boulevard near the Palace Grand theater building. It seemed to be the general opinion of the board that if the gentleman in question obtained a permit from the property owner the city trustees could have no say in the matter. On motion of Trustee Williams the question was referred to the City Building Inspector, J. M. Banker.

Mr. Stiner and Mr. Campbell were present and asked that the board vacate a certain alley between Adams street and Verdugo road near Stanley avenue. On motion the city engineer was instructed to bring in a petition for the abandonment of the alley in question.

J. W. M. Burton, representing the Glendale & Montrose Railroad company, was present and asked that the Board of Trustees take steps to place the auto stage carriers out of and into Glendale on the same basis as their company—that is, limit the number of persons carried to the car.

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TRIBUTE TO SERVICE

FRIENDS OF MR. AND MRS. GEO. A. ADAMS GIVE THEM A SURPRISE PARTY

Few people in Glendale have more friends or are more highly esteemed for sterling qualities of character and for Christian service than Mr. and Mrs. George E. Adams of 1450 Ivy street. In this city they have distinguished themselves by unfailing service to young and old alike. In their connection with the First Congregational church of Glendale they have endeared themselves to all by their faithful work in all branches of the church and by their upright, praiseworthy and unassuming Christian life.

Recognizing these qualities and this lifelong service, the members and friends of the Congregational church determined to give these worthy Christian workers a token of their esteem. Accordingly, on Monday night a large body of enthusiastic admirers of this hale and hearty couple met at the house of a neighbor of the Adamses, where they made arrangements for a surprise party, the details of which had been very completely worked out before. Proceeding to the Adams residence, it was found that the house was too small to contain the large party that had assembled, so adjournment was made to the church, where a pleasing program was entered on.

Most of the members of the choir were present and it was possible to enjoy a musical treat. Miss Alice Patterson gave a piano solo; Mr. Blake Franklin sang "Mother March" with great effect; Miss Marcella Miller delighted the audience with a piano solo.

Mrs. E. H. Willisford then gave an appropriate reading, "Growing Old," and when the applause that greeted this timely sentiment had subsided, presented the reading, beautifully bound in booklet form, with hand-painted covers, to Mrs. Adams.

Mrs. Adams, in a speech full of emotion, expressed her own and Mr. Adams' thanks for the kind reception tendered them and for the sentiments of friendship and good will that had been accorded them. She also spoke of the long life she and her husband had been privileged to live together; told of their early days in Dublin, N. H., where they were born; of their going to high school together. Mr. Adams, she said, had taught school in Maine, Massachusetts and New Hampshire, while she had taught in Rhode Island.

Mrs. Adams also told of how she and her husband had engaged in business with success, and had come to California, where they now enjoyed the wonderful climate and the society of their many friends.

After this refreshments were served and a very pleasant social time was enjoyed. The ladies who attended to the arrangements for refreshments were Mrs. A. S. Chase, Mrs. Colin Cable, Mrs. Minnie Patterson, Mrs. E. O. VonOven, and other ladies who assisted and served. The whole affair was excellently managed and served to bring together informally a very large number of the members of the church, and to stimulate greatly the life of the congregation.

YOUNG LADIES' PARTY

One of the pleasing entertainments for which Mrs. E. H. Willisford is well known was given by that popular hostess at her home, 231 Orange street, Monday evening, when a large party of the young people of the First Congregational church partook of her hospitality. The young people invited to this charming function were the members of the Young Ladies' Sunday school class of the First Congregational church.

The evening was spent in music and games. The decorations of room and table were pink and white and the place cards contained conundrums on the name of each guest, most of them biblical. Those present were: Ruby Farnsworth, Ethel Preston, Marian Lane, Ruth Storm, Kathryn Coates, Edna Heacock, Elsie Tyler, Hazel Tyler, Julia Grasfelli, Charlotte Davis, Helen Svenson, Carol Willisford, Elizabeth Smith, Alice Patterson, Elizabeth Brown, Frances Tayne. There were also present the teachers, Miss Button and Mrs. Blake Franklin.

REBEKAHS

Carnation Rebekah lodge will hold a short business session this evening at their headquarters in the Odd Fellows' hall, after which there will be a social evening. There will be games, refreshments and a good program. Every member is expected to come and bring a friend.

AUSTRIAN AMBASSADOR RECALLED

DUMBA LEAVES FOR VIENNA IN RESPONSE TO AMERICAN DEMAND, OCTOBER 5

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 28.—Austria today formally recalled Ambassador Dumba, in response to the demand of the United States. Dumba has been hanging on in this country, though discredited and undesirable, in the hope that he might get leave of absence from his superiors and be spared the humiliation of being recalled. The United States administration would not consent to any such glossing over of his plottings. He sails October 5.

ALLIES RENEW THEIR ATTACK

IMMENSE SLAUGHTER ON BOTH SIDES IN COURSE OF GREAT ALLIED DRIVE IN THE WEST

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

PARIS, Sept. 28.—After having straightened out and reformed their lines the allies renewed their attack today, on the German lines, under cover of a bombardment of the most terrific kind. This bombardment began last night and is continuing today without intermission.

General Marchand, one of the prominent French commanders, was severely wounded by a shell and taken to the field hospital.

The Germans sent 318 battalions to attack the hill known as "The Daughter of Death" in massed formation. The French machine guns mowed down the Germans until thousands of corpses carpeted the hillside.

The crownprince of Germany's attack in the Argonne was frustrated. French troops are now within two miles of the most important railway connecting the Germans' position with their base of supplies. The capture of this railway would force the Germans to begin a general retreat. It is defended by Gen. Von Sabeck's divisions.

The British are gaining steadily in the north forcing their way through the strongest portion of the German defenses.

SPEEDING TRAIN KILLS FOUR

READING TRAIN HITS CROWD OF WORKMEN IN TUNNEL NEAR PHOENIXVILLE, PA.

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

PHOENIXVILLE, Pa., Sept. 28.—Four workmen were killed and six injured today when a speeding Reading train struck a crowd of laborers in a tunnel near this city.

FIFTY BODIES ARE RECOVERED

DYNAMITE AND GASOLINE EXPLOSION INJURES 200 IN ARDMORE, OKLAHOMA

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

ARDMORE, Okla., Sept. 28.—Fifty bodies were recovered here today from the ruins of buildings destroyed last night by the accidental dynamite and gasoline explosion. Two hundred were injured.

INTERRED WITH NAVAL HONORS

VICTIMS OF SUBMARINE F-4 DISASTER AT HONOLULU BURIED IN ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 28.—Fourteen unidentified bodies of the victims of the submarine F-4 disaster were interred at Arlington National cemetery today. There was a large attendance of all the dignitaries connected with the Navy department. Secretary Daniels and various secretaries-general were present. There was also a large attendance of the public. The coffins containing the bodies of the Honolulu victims were draped with the American flag and the usual salutes were fired.

KAISER CONSULTS OTHER MONARCHS

RULER OF GERMANY SAID TO BE SOUNDING FEDERATED RULERS OF THE EMPIRE ON PEACE

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

LONDON, Sept. 28.—According to the Amsterdam correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company, the kaiser is sounding out the federated rulers of the German empire regarding their ideas on the war and peace prospects. It is stated that the independent sovereigns are by no means satisfied with present prospects, and that they feel the efforts of Germany have passed their climax. It is also said that this attempt on the part of the kaiser to ascertain the trend of opinion explains the recent visit of the German chancellor to the king of Saxony.

MEXICAN RAIDERS ARE SAID TO PLAN ATTACK

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

BROWNSVILLE, Texas., Sept. 28.—Five hundred Mexicans are massed near Progreso today. American officers believe this to be a feint to draw United States troops to that point and permit the Mexicans to cross elsewhere.

CLEARING OFF WEEDS

TWO GANGS AT WORK ON UNTENDED LOTS, CUTTING AND BURNING

"By the time we are done with cleaning up the vacant lots in the city," said City Manager Watson today, "Glendale will be the cleanest town in Southern California. The work of cleaning up the weeds has been proceeding diligently during the past ten days. There is a great deal of work to do, and now that citizens know that this work is being taken in hand by the city council they will probably get busy and see that the work is done thoroughly.

"We started in by sending out two gangs to clean out the district west of Central avenue. Seven hundred notices were posted in that district. When examination was made of the condition of the lots there it was found that 225 of them had been cleaned. We went on cleaning up those that had not been attended to, and within ten days have made a vast difference in the appearance of that district.

"It is necessary to give credit to the people of Glendale in so far as their co-operation in this matter of cleaning up the weeds is concerned. They are helping us nicely. We would be best pleased if all would do their own work; but many of the vacant lots are owned by non-resident parties, while others are content to let the city do the work and will pay the assessment for the work with more or less good-will.

"Our system is to get out in the morning with one gang cutting the weeds. The other gang follows and burns what has been cut. The weeds are very bad in most places. The time for cutting them was more than a month ago. At that time we had no authority to do what we are now doing, so the weeds were allowed to grow apace and seed.

"Naturally there will be another great crop next year, but then we will be equipped for handling them in time, and after a couple of years' cutting down they should get discouraged and cease growing. The lots west of Central avenue were very bad, the weeds having grown to a height of from 3 to 5 feet.

"We began Monday morning in the Lomita Park district. This district includes from Lomita Park north to the city limits and west of Louise street. There we find similar conditions, though I believe that the citizens all over are taking the hint and cleaning up.

"There is one other matter that has come up for consideration since the cleaning up of the weeds began. It has been found that the tall weeds were very convenient receptacles for empty tin cans and were used for that purpose almost generally. Of course, as long as the weeds were growing there was no sign of this delinquency, but the sins of many good citizens have found them out in this matter. Since the burning of the weeds those long-forgotten cans have come forth to light like the corpse in Eugene Aram's story. They cannot be hid.

"I think it will be necessary after the weed-burning has been finished to notify the citizens that if they will gather together those cans and place them in boxes on the parking of the streets, the city will take them away. In this way we will have a really clean and presentable city. We will probably set a day for hauling in each district, and hope the people will help us."

NEW LIBRARY BOOKS

Following is a list of new books in the library, chosen from the list presented by the High school.

Non-fiction: "Angel in the House," Patmore.

"British Poets of the Nineteenth Century," Page.

"Cabinet Minister," Pinero.

"Divine Gift," Jones.

"Essays on Modern Novelists," Phelps.

"George Bernard Shaw," Chesterton.

"Irish Plays and Playwrights," Weygandt.

"Marpeissa," Phillips.

"Oxford Book of Victorian Verse," Quiller-Couch.

"Paolo and Francesca," Phillips.

"Playboy of the Western World," Synge.

"Poems," Austin Dobson.

"Social Forces in Modern Literature," Buck.

"Varied Types," Chesterton.

"Where There Is Nothing," Yeats.

"Wit and Wisdom," Chesterton.

Fiction: "Awkward Age," James.

"Castle Rockrent," Edgeworth.

"Changed Man," Hardy.

"Victory," Conrad.

"Warden," Trollope.

DEBATING LEAGUE

GLENDALE REPRESENTED AT MEETING OF SOUTHWESTERN ASSOCIATION

The Southwestern Debating association, of which Glendale is a member, held its first meeting of the year at the U. S. C. Law school last Saturday. Glendale was represented by Mr. Root, the debating instructor, and Mr. Samuel Durand, who twice last year won a place on the school team. "American Shipping" was chosen as the general field for the autumn debates of the association. The University of California gives the final question Nov. 12, a week before the debate, Nov. 19. Glendale in this debate meets Santa Monica and South Pasadena. In the winter Glendale is matched against Huntington Beach and Huntington Park.

During October it is planned to run off the class debates which began so auspiciously last year. The question selected is "Government Ownership of the American Merchant Marine." At present the championship banner is held by the class of 1916, who won it from the last year's senior class with the question of "Military Drill in High School."

LOS ANGELES PRESBYTERY

The Los Angeles Presbytery will meet in regular fall session this evening at First Presbyterian church, Los Angeles. The Glendale church will be represented by the pastor and Frank J. Adams. The annual meeting of the synod of California will convene at San Diego the third week in October. The above named will also represent the local church.

A pre-presbytery Sunday school institute is being held this afternoon with a most attractive program and with a number of experts as speakers.

WEST GLENDALE M. E. CHURCH

The final reports of the various departments of the West Glendale Methodist Episcopal church show increased gains in all lines and indicate a year of active service. The church property is valued at \$5000, with a parsonage valued at \$2800 and an indebtedness of \$1680.

The membership shows a net increase of 40 per cent over the previous year. All bills of the church have been met promptly and the treasury has a small balance to begin the new conference year. A playground has been provided for the children and additional rooms built for the Sunday school. The report follows:

"Missionary work and other benevolent enterprises, \$666; ministerial support, \$1211; paid for building and improvements, \$240; paid on old indebtedness, \$55; Sunday school expenses and literature, \$200; current expense, light, water, fuel, etc., \$300. Total contributed to all purposes, \$2672.

"The Sunday school under the superintendency of J. E. Henderson is doing efficient work. The church is efficiently organized along all lines. At the recent session of the quarterly conference the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Trier of appeals, W. H. Nisbet; stewards, W. H. Nisbet, C. W. Bartow, D. E. Johnston, Mrs. J. W. Durham, H. L. Adams, N. McBryde, J. E. Henderson, J. W. Smith, Miss Susan Taggart, Mrs. Ida M. Terry, Mrs. Minnie Van Leuven, Victor H. Kester, Mrs. Edward Hoskyn and Mrs. Nellie Champ Jordan.

"Trustees: J. W. Durham, J. E. Henderson, W. H. Nisbet, M. S. Van Leuven and C. E. Peck; recording steward, Victor H. Kester; district steward, J. E. Henderson. Standing committees for the year: Foreign missions—Mrs. E. M. Cook, Mrs. W. H. Nisbet. Home missions—Mrs. J. E. Henderson, Mrs. Ida M. Terry, and Mrs. Nellie C. Jordan. Sunday school—Mrs. Nellie Davis, J. W. Durham, Mrs. C. L. Kennedy. Tracts—Mrs. A. B. Morrison, Mrs. Augustus Hommer, Mrs. Elizabeth Dietrich. Temperance—Rev. E. Hoskyn, W. N. Bott, V. H. Kester. Education—C. E. Peck, D. E. Johnston, D. W. Henke. Freedman's Aid—Same as home missions. Hospitals—Mrs. J. W. Durham, Mrs. Flora Pixley, Mrs. Emma L. Reynolds. Church records—H. L. Adams, W. H. Nisbet, S. B. Jones. Auditing accounts—V. H. Kester, C. V. Tarr, N. McBryde. Parsonage and furniture—Ladies' Aid society. Church music—J. E. Henderson, Miss Clara Midcalf, Mrs. D. E. Johnston. Estimating ministerial support—Board of stewards. Examination of local preachers—W. M. Bott, J. E. Henderson, Rev. A. B. Morrison."

The annual conference meets in San Diego tomorrow. The pastor, Rev. H. Jackson Hartsell, and Rev. Edward Hoskyn and Mrs. Hoskyn, will represent the local church.

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THOROUGHNESS IN EDUCATION

Just at present the world may be abhorring the war in Europe; but it is also admitting the thoroughness of German methods that have been manifest in every department of their military plans. That thoroughness was learned in the German schools where everything is learned from the bottom up. In a great deal of the knowledge acquired in the public schools of the United States there seems to be lacking that thoroughness that makes certain not only that a job will be done but that it will be done so well that it would be impossible to better it.

Just as there are thousands of individuals who make speeches in public and never know when they have come to the end of their subject so there are thousands of students turned out of the public schools who never know whether or not the work with which they have been intrusted has been properly done. This is observable in all public offices and businesses. It is found quite generally that the supposedly finished products of the high schools are unfinished in some particulars and cannot be trusted to do simple tasks without supervision. This comes from a lack of systematic thoroughness in training.

In school are formed the habits that are to make or mar a boy's or a girl's life. If there is laxity of discipline in a school it will show itself in the ways, habits, and acquirements of the students. So many are content to get through school by any means and in any shape so long as they get through that the business men of the world often wonder and ask publicly what is the matter with the schools.

What is really the matter with the schools where such complaint can be justly made, and it cannot be justly made in all instances, is that the teachers too often are contented with what is not the best effort of the student and the student knowing that he can get credits for imperfect work gets careless and scrambles through his course any way. Just at present at all the high schools of the country there is a certain proportion of half fledged pupils who flew out into the world and found themselves incomplete. Their wings were not feathered for the steady flight of life and they were fain to come back again to learn thoroughly the subjects they had only imperfectly mastered.

In school, no credits should be given for half-done or imperfect work, in subjects, like arithmetic, for instance where a single incorrect figure vitiates the whole result perfection should be aimed at. Once accustomed to that ideal the student himself or herself will be satisfied with nothing less. In spelling too there should be perfection. It is easily attained by practice yet the testimony of New York business men is to the effect that scarcely five per cent of the young high school students sent to office work can either spell correctly or give absolute accuracy in the simple processes of addition, subtraction and multiplication.

Now that the school year is open students should resolve to be content with nothing short of the very best accomplishment in all studies. The teachers should demand perfection and refuse to accept anything short of it. Under such a system as this the country could expect to have something better than mediocrity in its businesses, trades and professions.

COMBAT STRENGTHENS ALLIES' BOND

How little peace-at-any price advocates are capable of gauging the situation in Europe may be seen in the recent determination of the allies to strengthen the bond between them for the prosecution of the war. When the war began it was plain that there was no concerted plan between the allies. It is questionable if there was any alliance in the strict significance of the word. In many respects this was unfortunate for the allies as it left them without any preconcerted plan for dealing with the war.

By treaty Britain was not bound to send into France in case of war more than an army corps. The exigencies of the war have compelled her to raise millions of troops, now in training, while more than a million are fighting in France, Egypt, Turkey and Roumania. All this had to be done without any agreement as to how it should be done and to what extent. Meantime, Germany knew her own mind and had only to put in operation the plans she had been maturing for forty years.

Recently, however, it was seen by the allies that the whole business of the war must be put on a thoroughly business-like basis and in a protocol recently signed the allies have again declared their determination to stand together to the end and each agrees not to make a separate peace.

This is a source of strength to the allies and because it is so, the central powers are always circulating reports that one or other of the powers is about to withdraw from the combat and conclude peace by itself. These attempts to create dissension have failed hitherto. Apparently however the Germans have been successful in persuading the czar of Bulgaria to resolve to come out on their side. Here the united face shown by the allies, however, has done some good to their cause.

It would be ludicrous were it not tragical to watch the maneuvers of Czar Ferdinand of Bulgaria and his time-serving officials, who have not hesitated to state that, like Hal o' the Wynd they will merely fight for their own hand, if they do fight; or like naive Boss Croker, who once testified, when Tammany was up for judgment, "Of course we are always looking to put something in our own pockets."

Bulgaria, like the groundhog came out of its hole the other day to see if the sun of Berlin were shining and hoping to be in time to bask in its rays; when to its astonishment began as severe a storm over Germany as made the hesitant Bulgar pause lest he might be wrong in his calculations. This thing which he saw was the demonstration of the strength of the allies' bond. On every side, by common consent a strong offensive was launched against the legions of the Kaiser and they were hurled back in Russia, France, Flanders and Italy Irredenta.

There is no mistaking the fact that the allies are holding together. The Czar was recently promised help from Japan and England in the way of officers to aid his generals in their strategy and

tactics and from both also in the way of new supplies of ammunition. Apparently these supplies and these officers have reached their destination and the result is seen in the extraordinary stiffening of the ranks of the Russians along the immense battle line.

Soon the weather in Russia will fight for the Czar's men and another winter will have to be faced without any definite result on the part of the Kaiser. So Kitchener's prediction of a three years' war may yet come true.

LIFE'S PURPOSE

The following beautiful poem, breathing the perfume of pines and firs high up among the Sierras, was received from Mrs. Laura R. Freeman, Mrs. Freeman and her husband, J. J. Freeman, of West Fifth street, are spending several months at their mining properties near Kingsley, Cal.:

Out in the hills, far out, and away
From the clamor and clang of the city gay,
Out where the days are full of life—
Clean, calm and helpful, not sordid
with strife;
Out where at sunrise you spring from
your cot
With renewed strength and courage
to tackle your lot;
Out where you dip in the fresh mountain
stream,
And your pulse seems to quicken,
your eyes seem to gleam,
While you breathe in the perfume of
cedar and pine,
As rich and as bracing as time-labeled
wine;
Out where you see, every way that
you look,
Nature's own pictures for Life's story
book;

Where the glorious mountains rise
up toward the sky,
Where the oaks, pines and cedars all
whisper and sigh;
Where boulders of granite, limestone
and quartz
Far exceed the rugged beauty of art-
ists' reports;
Where the roads are like trails, and
they wind here and there,
But ever seem luring away from all
care;
Where the mosses and ferns in a
cool, shady nook
Invite you to sing, or to read from a
book;

Where you feel so enlarged, so en-
lightened and free
From all limitations that once seemed
to be,
While you pause 'neath a pine, still-
ness sacred and sweet
Make the cones seem like memories
cast at your feet.
You speak to your heart in the si-
lence and say
They are garments cast off from the
past yesterday.
Each one was a part of that beautiful
tree
Back in the days when it first tried
to be.
But the heart of the pine tree was led
by the sun,
And onward and upward its course
was begun.
The chill winds of winter upon it doth
blow.
The sunshine and shadows, the rain
and the snow;
But onward and upward, ambition
still firm,
She rises, nor lets aught her purpose
upturn.

O glorious pine! I whisper and sigh,
You're a lesson to me, and to each
passer-by.
Out in the hills, far out and away
From the clamor and clang of the
city gay,
Where the pines and the oaks, and
the cedars, too,
Stretch forth their arms to heaven's
blue—
There, in the stillness of all that is
great,
'Midst some of the beauties of this
grand state,
We wish that others might come and
stand,
And feel the pressure of the Unseen
Hand.
To feel inspired to live, and be
As true to Life's purpose as the old
pine tree.

—Mrs. Laura R. Freeman.

PRESIDENT VOTES IN PRIMARY
President Wilson came "back home" to Princeton yesterday for a few hours in order to participate in the New Jersey primary election. The president will return to Washington Tuesday in order to take part in the Grand Army reunion.

The chief executive will make another flying visit to his voting district in less than a month, when he comes to register his approval or disapproval of the proposed amendment to the state constitution embodying equal suffrage. A special election on this and other amendments takes place on Oct. 19. Yesterday's primary was confined to local contests.

WAR ODDITIES

Word from Northern France says that three cannon balls have been dug up near Ypres by British soldiers, doubtless relics of the siege by the French in 1794, when the Austrians were vanquished.

British sappers, mining under the German trenches, burrowed into a German mine, cut the wires and "stole" a ton and a half of high explosives.

Only two cases of drunkenness among a population of 100,000 have occurred in the Mid-Tyne area since the liquor restriction order was put into effect, it is declared.

BAD EGGS IN ILLINOIS

The Illinois state food commission has issued a bulletin which is being sent to egg dealers throughout the state calling their attention to the fact that under the pure food law all decayed, rotten or "spot" eggs are classed as adulterated substances, and as such to offer them for sale is a strict violation of the law. The penalty for a violation of this law by any wholesale dealer, merchant or farmer is punishable by a fine for the first offense of not less than \$15 nor more than \$100, or 30 days' imprisonment in the county jail. For the second offense the fine is not less than \$25 nor more than \$200, or one year's imprisonment in the county jail, or both.

ARMY NURSES IN REUNION

The twenty-first annual convention of the National Association of Army Nurses of the Civil War opened at Washington, D. C., today. Most of the nurses are more than 70 years old but few members were present at the gathering.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORK

Public notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, on the 20th day of September, 1915, did, at its meeting on said day, adopt an Ordinance of Intention, Number 275, to order the following improvement to be made, to-wit:

That Eighth Street be laid out and opened from the easterly line of Glendale Avenue to the westerly line of Verdugo Road in said city.

Section 2. That the land necessary and convenient to be taken for the improvement described in Section 1 hereof is situated in the City of Glendale, County of Los Angeles, State of California, and is more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

First: The South 25 feet of Lot 11 of the Childs Tract, as per map recorded in Book 5, Page 157 of Miscellaneous Records of Los Angeles County, California.

Second: All that portion of the Northerly twenty-five (25) feet of Lot 3 of the Childs Tract, as per map recorded in Book 5, Page 157 of Miscellaneous Records of Los Angeles County, California, lying Easterly of the Northerly prolongation of the Easterly line of Lot 25 of Pinewood Terrace, as per map recorded in Book 15, Page 45 of Maps, Records of Los Angeles County, California.

Third: A strip of land of a uniform width of fifty (50) feet lying twenty-five (25) feet either side of, parallel and contiguous to the following described center line:

Beginning at a point on the West line of the Byram-Patterson and Miller Subdivision, as per map recorded in Book 39, Page 80 of Miscellaneous Records of aforesaid county, said point being midway between the Northwest corner of Lot 14 and the Southwest corner of Lot 12 of said Subdivision; thence East along a line drawn midway between the North lines of Lots 14 and 13 and the South lines of Lots 12 and 11 of said Subdivision and the Easterly prolongation of said line so drawn to an intersection with a line drawn parallel with and twenty-five (25) feet Northerly from the Northerly line of those two certain tracts of land designated as "Olmstead" on that certain map known as County Surveyor's Map Number 3304, in the office of the County Surveyor of Los Angeles County, California. Thence Easterly along said line drawn parallel as above described to the Westerly line of Verdugo Road.

Excepting from the above described parcels of land, any portion of any public streets or alleys which may be included therein.

The district to be assessed for the expenses of said improvement is described in, and reference is hereby made to, said Ordinance No. 275, for further particulars of said work.

T. W. WATSON,
City Manager and ex-Officio Street Superintendent of the City of Glendale.

No. 30350
NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles—In the matter of the Estate of Emily W. Hardin, Deceased:

Notice is hereby given that the petition of Ed. M. Lee for the probate of the will of Emily W. Hardin, deceased, and for the issuance of Letters Testamentary thereon to Ed. M. Lee, will be heard at 2 o'clock p. m. on the 6th day of October, 1915, at the Court Room of Department 2 of the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, California.

Dated September 23, 1915.
H. J. LELANDE,
Clerk.

*By H. H. DOYLE,
Deputy Clerk.

Charles L. Evans, 1209-10-11 Haas building, Los Angeles, California, Attorney for Petitioner.

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PURIFYING WATER

The chlorination of drinking water supplies by a system which is being used in San Diego successfully could be used to advantage in many other cities of the state, according to C. G. Gillespie, chief engineer of the state board of health. Gillespie is taking the lead in the state's investigation of water supplies in order to insure safe drinking water for all cities of California. Shallow wells, Gillespie says, are responsible for polluted waters in rural districts.

LARGE BIRTH RATE

Mothers in Sacramento feel that they are leading the state in the matter of births. According to Dr. G. C. Simmons, city health commissioner of Sacramento, there were 117 births in that city last month. Dr. Simmons said: "I wish to thank the mothers of Sacramento for doing their duty. Last month there were 117 births in Sacramento, which is a fine showing."

Waiting for a delayed circus parade is one of the experiences that cause wrinkles and premature age.

Crumbs of comfort may be all right, but it takes a lot of them to make a square meal.

Keep out of the saloon and you will keep out of the lockup.

MR. AND MRS. JAMES NEWTON ENTERTAIN

The Christian Endeavor society, the Philathea and Baraca classes of the Presbyterian church had a very enjoyable time last Friday evening, when they took a hike up into the La Canada hills to the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Newton.

The form of entertainment was a burlesque of the Panama exposition. The grounds of the Newton home were beautifully illuminated with electric lights, the Tower of Jewels standing out very prominently, the garage being transformed into this wonderful sight. As the young people followed the guide on through the grounds they were shown some amusing features of this exposition, among which was the Ford exhibit, which was Mr. Newton's car in the garage. The guide explained that the output here was one car per day. A great deal of fun was had in viewing the exhibits.

The "Zone" was another feature. Here the young folks used Mr. Newton's wide driveway for games and races, and in these the young ladies were not outdone.

After this pleasant time out of doors the visitors entered the "California building," which was the home of the host and hostess. Here the dainty refreshments were served.

Rev. and Mrs. Edmonds were present with the young people on this most enjoyable occasion.

MASONS, ATTENTION!

The Third degree will be conferred tonight at the Temple by a team from the Los Angeles postoffice. All Masons cordially invited. Refreshments.

PUMPKIN PIE SOCIAL

Brotherhood of the Presbyterian church of Glendale will meet this Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Sunday school room. Interesting program will be given, closing with a pumpkin pie social. All men invited.

MERCHANTS' MEETING

All members of the Merchants' association are requested to meet at the Chamber of Commerce building on Wednesday, Sept. 29. We want everyone who has been a member to be present. R. M. JACKSON, Secretary.

The man who started across the continent in a huge automobile which he termed a "land yacht" gave up when he reached Chicago. The machine is coming to California by rail, and the sort of roads for it can be found here.

Chautauqua circles have ruled against lecturers subsidized by outside interests, a rule that, if carried out, will cut down the list of oratorical performers considerably.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. John Graham of 1437 Hawthorne are spending a few weeks at Balboa Beach.

Miss Harriett Simon of Los Angeles spent Sunday in Glendale with several of her friends.

Mr. George Emerson of Scranton, Pa., is making an extended visit to California. He spent Saturday with his cousin, Mr. W. Stone of Chestnut street.

Mrs. Frederick Baker, 109 North Maryland avenue, entertained at dinner last week Mr. and Mrs. Mattison B. Jones of 106 Orange street.

The Misses Anna Drake and Lillian Nelson of Chicago are spending a week at the home of Miss Rose Dorschner of Riverdale drive, Glendale.

Mrs. Farnum, who was undergoing treatment at Thornycroft hospital for some time, is much improved and has returned to her home at the Central hotel.

Dr. and Mrs. E. Oviatt of Columbus, Wis., are here on a tour of California. They are visiting in Glendale Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Weaver, 822 Fifth street, Mrs. Oviatt's uncle and aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Johnson, 338 North Jackson street, leave Thursday for San Francisco, where they will stay two weeks and will visit the exposition.

Mr. Chas. Buchanan of Mt. Carmel, Ill., who is stopping at the Central hotel, is confined to his room on account of injuries received when he was thrown from a Pacific Electric car on Sunday.

Mrs. Marple of 149 Palmer avenue, Tropic, will entertain the members and friends of the Young People's branch of the W. C. T. U. at her home Tuesday evening, Sept. 28. All members of the branch are expected to be present.

Mr. Walter Jordan, 918 West Fifth street, left Monday for Chicago. He will be gone for two months, during which time he will stop at San Francisco for a brief visit to the exposition, afterward proceeding on his journey east.

Mr. and Mrs. John Orth of 435 South Central avenue, Glendale, have returned from the exposition at San Francisco. While there Mrs. Orth had the pleasure of talking by long-distance phone to her brother, H. E. Graham of New York city, who is manager of the Pressed Steel Car company in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Wilde, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Neel, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Neel, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Eddy, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Althouse, Mr. and Mrs. Pulliam, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pierson of Los Angeles, Mr. C. Hughes and Miss Gladys Barlow, were members of a most enjoyable house party Saturday and Sunday at Hermosa Beach. The party enjoyed the usual amusements of the beach.

The Misses Rose Dorschner, Anna Drake and Lillian Nelson have returned from San Francisco, where they attended the exposition for ten days. During their sojourn in the northern city they visited many points of interest in the vicinity of San Francisco, including Berkeley, Mt. Tamalpais, Golden Gate park, Cliff House and Chinatown. They report a most enjoyable time and were very much pleased with the fair.

Mr. Keshishyan, brother of Mrs. C. E. Lauer, 1427 Burchett street, who has been visiting at Dr. Lauer's house for the past ten days, left on Monday for San Francisco, where he has his home. During his short stay in Glendale Mr. Keshishyan saw quite a large section of the country and enjoyed excellent fishing and hunting, and left altogether charmed with the district and its wonderful climate and scenery.

NORTH GLENDALE

Mrs. Alexander Mitchell of Kenneth road, with a party of friends, motored to Ontario, Cal., last Sunday, where they spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Fairchild of 1321 Arden avenue, with their house guests, Mr. Spencer Murry and his mother, Mrs. R. Murry, of New York city, formed a party who motored to Hollywood last Sunday, where they spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Lynn of 1021 Melrose avenue entertained as their guests last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Richard Goldschmidt of Inglewood.

Mr. H. C. Lynn of 1021 Melrose avenue has rented his property located as above to Los Angeles parties, and will occupy a residence on Cedar street, Glendale, planning to move next Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wilson of 1636 Ruth street spent Sunday in Los Angeles, where they were guests of Mr. Wilson's brother, Mr. Burt Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Cunningham of 1025 Fairview avenue spent the week-end at Hermosa Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller and little daughter, Helen, of 1604 Fairmont avenue, left last Saturday evening by steamer for San Francisco, where they will spend a week attending the exposition.

Miss Hazel Anderson of 320 Cedar street was the week-end guest of Miss Ruth Wright of 1649 Ruth street.

THE EXPOSITION DODGE CAR

The way a novice gets along with the modern motor car is a strong indication of the tremendous development which has been made in motor-car designing during the past few years. As an illustration of what can be done in this way, C. C. Ronnow of Las Vegas, Nevada, is one of the best examples. Mr. Ronnow is chairman of the board of commissioners of Clark county, Nevada, and during the first week in June saw the "Death Valley Dodge" drive into Las Vegas after making the strenuous trip through Death Valley. Mr. Ronnow, who knows the Death Valley region, realized what a strenuous ordeal the Dodge car had been through. He immediately made up his mind that any car which could make the trip through the deep sands and terrific heat of Death Valley, climbing the steep grades over the mile-high summit of the Funeral and Panamint ranges, was the car he wanted for traveling the rough roads of Clark county.

While the "Death Valley Dodge" was in Las Vegas, Ronnow closely questioned O. K. Parker, the engineer who made the drive across Death Valley with the Dodge car, and learned that the trip had been made without a single mechanical trouble and without even a tire puncture. That was enough for Mr. Ronnow. He immediately ordered, by letter, a Dodge Bros. motor car from Harold L. Arnold, the Los Angeles distributor for Dodge Bros. cars. Because of the tremendous demand for these cars it was impossible to make delivery until last week, at which time he was notified that he could come to Los Angeles, get his car and start on his trip to the north.

With only two hours' instruction in driving and use of the Dodge car, Mr. Ronnow started for San Francisco by the inland route, expecting to make the detour into Yosemite Valley on his way to San Francisco. After a visit to the exposition the Dodge car will continue its journey, crossing the Sierra Nevada range by way of Emigrant Gap, where the Truckee summit reaches an elevation of nearly 8000 feet. After a visit of one week at Lake Tahoe the Dodge will be driven to Carson City and back to Las Vegas by way of Goldfield. Altogether Mr. Ronnow will make a 1500-mile drive of his initial trip with the car.

RESPECT FOR WOMEN

(Milwaukee Evening Wisconsin) Ida Husted Harper has returned from a summer in California devoted to studying the effect of woman suffrage, which has been in force in that state for four years. She writes to the New York Times that equal suffrage has brought about increased respect for women on the part of men. Expanding on this theme, she remarks: "The girls at the State university, who had no complaint to make of previous lack of respectful treatment from the male students, said that almost from the day that the suffrage was granted to women they could notice an improvement. It was subtle and involuntary, but clearly manifest. Women in the villages and small cities insisted that there was at once a distinct difference in the attitude of the men they met on the street and in the transaction of business, a recognition that they had gained a new value to the community. This is the testimony of women in all the states where they are voting citizens."

She finds California women taking an intelligent interest in their political duties. "I know the women of California," she observes, "as I resided in the state several years, and where I went, to the clubs, to receptions, to dinner parties, I noticed a marked advance in independence, in knowledge of public men and measures, in consciousness of power. At every social function I attended the women were discussing the candidate and issues of the approaching municipal election. This was not done in an academic way, but from the practical standpoint of those whose votes would help determine results. In all the equal suffrage states the same situation exists."

Miss Harper makes out a strong case for the proposition that woman suffrage will not, as some politicians have predicted, tend to lower man's respect for woman. There is logic for the belief that it will have the contrary effect, as there are people who respect power, while lacking in respect for everything else. The ballot confers power. It helps those who wield it to guard their rights. Women's rights are no less precious to them and to the race than the rights of men. Whatever exalts either sex is helpful to both.

PIANO FOR SALE

As I already have a very fine instrument, I wish to dispose of the fine new \$350 Schiller piano which I won in the Glendale Evening News contest. This is a splendid instrument of sweet tone and is new and in good condition. I will sell for cash or purchaser may make terms to suit himself.

This instrument may be seen at my home, 310 West Park avenue, or call Glendale 78W.

MISS CORA HICKMAN.

WEATHER FORECAST—Fair tonight and Wednesday; northerly winds.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Instead of the usual Wednesday evening prayer meeting at the church, cottage prayer meetings have been planned in different parts of the city, as follows:

Mr. John Jackson's, 1416 Milford street. Mrs. Bolen, leader.

Mr. Fred Thompson's, 1434 West Fifth street. Dr. Durfee, leader.

Mrs. J. P. Shropshire's, 445 Fifth street. Dr. Dunigan, leader.

Mrs. Justin Stone's, 945 Chestnut street. Mr. Heacock, leader.

Mr. W. H. Gilmour's, 620 East Acacia street, Tropic. Mr. Berkey, leader.

Mrs. Jane Allee's, 114 Tropic avenue, Tropic. Mr. Kilborn, leader.

These prayer meetings are in the interest of our evangelistic campaign, which begins Oct. 10, led by Prof. B. C. Hagerman of Lexington, Ky. Prof. Hagerman is a great teacher and pulpit orator, and added to this is his evangelistic fervor. We should certainly feel congratulated that Glendale can have his services.

AFTER INCENDIARIES

Representatives of State Forester G. M. Homans, Sacramento, kept a sharp lookout today for incendiaries who, through carelessness or otherwise, start grass and forest fires. Forester Homans intends to prosecute all those caught. H. E. McKenzie has been placed in charge of the investigation in the northern part of the state.

Especially in Fresno and Mendocino counties recent fires have had all the aspects of being of incendiary origin. In the vicinity of Gualala, in southern Mendocino county, ranchers are afraid to leave their places for fear they will return to find their buildings in ashes.

PROPERTY EXEMPTION

Exemption of educational institutions of college grade from taxation will take \$571,000 away from the income of Los Angeles county this year. San Bernardino county will also lose \$87,495 and San Diego county \$18,000. The exemption clause covers \$9,000,000 worth of property.

MARY PHAGAN SPEAKS

You care a lot about me, you men of Georgia, now that I am dead. You have spent thousands of dollars trying to learn who mutilated my body. You have filled the columns of your newspapers with the story of my wrong. You have broken into prison and murdered a man that I might be avenged. But what did you care about me when I was alive? I was a child, but you shut me out of the daylight. You held me within four walls watching a machine that crashed through the air; Endlessly watching a knife as it cut a piece of wood. Noise fills the place—noise, dust and the smell of oil. I wish some of the thousands of dollars you spent on the trial might have kept me in school. A real school, the kind you build for the rich. I worked through the hot August days, When you were bossing the girls, or shooting birds, Or lounging in doorways cursing the nigger. And you never paid me enough to buy a pretty dress. You sometimes spoke coarsely to me when I went to and from my work; Yes, you did, and I had to pretend I liked it. Why did you despise me living and yet love me so now? I think I know. It is like what the preacher told me about Christ: People hated Him when He was alive. But when He was dead they killed man after man for His sake. —Mary White Ovington, in the New Republic.

WET AND DRY FIGHT

With four factions, involving thousands of prominent men, a bitter bloodless battle is being waged to put Minneapolis in the dry column at the election to be held Oct. 4. Other than the prominence of the men involved and the bitterness of the fight, there are few features.

Openly dry are the State Prohibition league and the Anti-Saloon league. On the neutral side of the fence are the Business Men's league, headed by State Senator E. J. Westlake and composed of prominent business men, many of whom are hotel men owning property affected by saloons, and the labor unions.

The neutral factions have been waging the "Show me" fight. They have claimed to be merely attempting to ascertain public opinion. However, they, too, employed a publicity agent.

HAPPY MAN

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TROPICO

Charming in every detail was the daintily appointed dinner party with which Dr. and Mrs. E. Leslie Eames very happily celebrated their sixth wedding anniversary at their home on Palmer avenue Wednesday evening. Seated with the host and hostess were Miss Connell and Senor Mario T. David of Los Angeles; Miss Helene Constance Morgan, Mr. John Eames and Mrs. Frank Sproul Morgan of Tropic.

Mrs. E. V. Bacon, chairman of the municipal playground, announces that Saturday, Oct. 9, will be observed as Pencil day in Tropic, when every citizen, every man, woman and child will be asked to purchase at least one pencil to help the good cause, namely, to provide funds for maintaining the playgrounds. This place of recreation has been a great boon to the many children of Tropic, who were obliged for various reasons to spend their summer vacation within the boundary limits of this city. Let all public-spirited citizens assist Oct. 9 by purchasing pencils.

Denver Markwith, manager and captain of the Tropic Sunday baseball team, is receiving the congratulations of the many lovers of America's national game upon having secured Jay Rice as pitcher for the local team. For the past few years Jay Rice has been residing in his large orange grove near Lindsay, and with the necessary labor attendant upon a good citrus grower, which Mr. Rice has proven himself to be, his good strong right arm has lost none of its cunning, and he who in former years was hailed as a professional ball pitcher will be seen on the baseball diamond of the municipal playground Sunday, Oct. 3. Mr. and Mrs. Rice are residing temporarily with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Rice of Tropic, who are spending their summer vacation at their beach home at Venice. Mr. Markwith, having secured Mr. Rice as pitcher, announces that he is now ready to meet all comers with a good strong team.

MOTORIST CAN'T MISS TRAILS

You can climb in your motor car at Los Angeles, go all the way to Kansas City and before long to St. Louis—without having once to inquire the road. This is possible because of the big markers that confront you at every turn. These markers are permanent affairs of enameled steel. They face the motorist so that he doesn't have to stop. They give the direction and mileage by arrows, and give it beyond mistake. The Automobile Club of Southern California put up the markers from Los Angeles to Kansas City. The club did it at a cost of thousands of dollars, because it believed in the National Old Trails road and what it would mean to Los Angeles.

The road is being marked now and the markers are up most of the way to St. Louis. The commercial clubs in the towns along the route are paying for the work.

Travel has greatly increased over the Old Trails route since the marking. "It removes any chance of a motorist's losing his way. Between 40 and 50 cars go through daily now on cross-country tours. Incidentally it has been found that as soon as the road is 'posted' in a permanent manner the farmers at once begin to fix up both the road and their own places along it.—Kansas City Star.

PRISONERS OF WAR MEET

Nearly 5000 members of the National Association of ex-Prisoners of War called by invitation upon President Wilson Tuesday. They were headed by Col. J. D. Walker, adjutant general of the association. The president greeted the veterans cordially, shaking hands and chatting with them about Libby, Andersonville and other prisons of the Civil war in which they had been incarcerated.

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THIS IS "SISTER CITIES DAY"

"Sister Cities Day" of the International Soil Products exposition, being held at Denver, Colo., was celebrated Tuesday by the mayors and city officials of cities and towns within 200 miles of Denver, who were guests of the exposition. These cities are displaying the largest agricultural exhibits. They will have an opportunity to use what is being done by other localities.

Representatives from all the federated women's clubs of Colorado were also present. They were entertained by the clubwomen of Denver.

NEW JERSEY PEOPLE

You are all most cordially invited to a great all-Southern California picnic for all the New Jersey people in our Southland. This picnic reunion will be held in Sycamore grove, Los Angeles, Saturday, Oct. 9, 1915.

It will be an all-day gathering with basket picnic dinner at noon. Coffee will be served free to all who buy the badge, but each one must bring cup and spoon.

The county registration plan will be used, so all may find their friends very easily. There will be a brief program about 2 o'clock. The whole day will be one of jolly social fun and renewing of old friendships. From all over Southern California the New Jersey folks will come to meet old friends and to make new ones.

Tourists and visitors will be welcome and will have an opportunity to meet the friends who have come on before.

After studying the smoke problem five years a commission of experts suggests that railroads entering the city be electrified. A really bright commission would have done this amount of thinking in five minutes.

TRUSTEES' MEETING

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capacity of the auto, cause the owners to provide indemnity bonds and pay a license for operating.

Mr. Burton said it is generally known that an auto of five-passenger capacity is carrying from 12 to 18 passengers into and out of Glendale. Most of these passengers are High school boys and girls, and he said it is a disgrace to allow such an affair to continue.

On motion of Trustee Tower the City Attorney and the City Manager were instructed to present plans to govern the number of passengers to be hauled in automobiles and require operators of such buses to provide indemnity insurance for the protection of passengers.

An application was granted to Mr. Henderson to do cement work by private contract on a certain street in Glendale.

On motion E. Schelling was awarded the contract for doing street work on Second street between Central and Columbus.

Edward M. Lynch, City Engineer, reported that the work on the street crossings at Chestnut and Seventh streets had been held up by the P. E. company, awaiting a reply from the city officials as to whether they will pay for the work of making the improvement between the railroad rails, which work the company reserves the right to do themselves. On motion it was declared by the trustees that it is their intention to pay for the improvement at these crossings as per ruling of the railway commission.

The Manager of the Public Service Department reported that it was his opinion that the insurance on linemen is too high, and recommended that the city stand its own liability insurance. The question will be taken up for further consideration later.

The Manager of the Public Service Department recommended that money on hand in the lighting fund No. 2 be transferred to lighting fund No. 8, and that No. 9 lighting fund make a loan of \$500 to No. 8.

On motion the Manager of the Public Service Department was given authority to remove the stone pillars at the street corners on Brand boulevard north of First street.

The following demands were filed Monday evening and, with those filed at the previous meeting, were allowed:

T. W. Watson, sundries.....	\$ 13.31
Bentley-Schoeneman Lbr. Co.	43.12
C. D. Thom, pumping water.....	64.80
Western Elec. Co., supplies.....	300.00
Jones & Evans.....	6.50

The clerk read the following communications, which are self-explanatory:

Glendale, Cal., Sept. 27, 1915.
To the Honorable Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale.

Gentlemen: In accordance with your instructions, we have taken up the matter of the right-of-way for the construction of protection work along Verdugo Wash with Judge Ross, and also with Cameron Thom, representing the Thom Estate, and they have signified their willingness to grant the necessary right-of-way or easement.

We thought best, however, to get an easement that would be satisfactory to the County Board of Supervisors, as the construction work and right-of-way will probably be taken over some time by the Los Angeles Flood Control District.

We wrote Mr. J. W. Reagen, engineer of the Los Angeles Flood Control District, regarding the same, as per letter presented herewith. I also present Mr. Reagen's reply of September 22d.

Mr. Reagen went over the entire wash channel last week in company with Mr. Althouse, Mr. Frederick Baker and myself. He was very much pleased with the work already done in Verdugo Canyon, and, as he states in his letter, said he would be very glad to further our plans for immediate protection work.

In order to still further facilitate this matter, I would suggest that the City Attorney be authorized to confer with the County Counsel and prepare an easement or right-of-way which would be satisfactory both to our City Attorney and the County Counsel, and that our City Engineer be authorized to prepare for Mr. Reagen the plans which he has suggested in his letter.

I took this matter up with Supervisor Hamilton today, being unable to see Supervisor Pridham. (I have an appointment with Mr. Pridham for Thursday morning of this week.) Mr. Hamilton stated that he was in favor of the Board of Supervisors doing everything within their power to enable the various districts to go ahead with their local protection work, and that he believed the Board of Supervisors would consider favorably the passing of a resolution wherein the Board of Flood Control would agree to take over the protection work, provided the right-of-way and plans and specifications were approved by the Engineer of the Board of Flood Control should a bond issue prevail covering the whole district for flood control purposes.

Respectfully yours,
T. W. WATSON,
City Manager.

September 22, 1915.

Mr. J. W. Reagen, Engineer of Los Angeles Flood Control District, Hall of Records, Los Angeles.

Dear Sir: Realizing that you have hardly had time to organize the affairs of the office to which you have been so recently appointed, it is with some reluctance that we ask you to take the time to look into the matters herein called to your attention. From our standpoint, however, they are very urgent, and we would greatly appreciate whatever consideration you could give them at this time.

We realize that it is going to take some time to get the work of the Los Angeles Flood Control District under way, and we are anxious to lay before the people of Glendale the matter of immediate protection along the Verdugo Canyon Wash, as our city is in great danger from that source. Yet, we want to proceed along lines that are in harmony with the plan of flood control for the whole Los Angeles District, and along lines that will receive your endorsement as engineer of said district.

Our City Engineer, Edward M. Lynch, has made a careful study of the Verdugo Canyon flood control problem, and his plans for protection work are well matured. We would like for yourself and Mr. Lynch to confer at an early date in regard to said plans, making whatever readjustments you may deem necessary in order that said plans may conform to your scheme for the whole district. We feel that we must have your endorsement of whatever plan is adopted in order that the work constructed under said plan will be acceptable to the Board of Los Angeles Flood Control, to the end that should a bond election carry covering the whole district, said protection work would be taken over by the Los Angeles Flood Control District and the local district be reimbursed for the cost of same, less whatever depreciation there would be at the time of taking said works over.

In other words, if the City of Glendale should go ahead and construct protection work along Verdugo Wash in advance of the time when the Los Angeles Flood Control District is ready to do the same work, we want to have your endorsement of said work and assurance from the Los Angeles Board of Flood Control that said work will be taken over and the local district reimbursed for the cost of same, should there be a general tax on the whole district for flood control.

In order to receive said endorsement and said promise of reimbursement, we realize that it is necessary to first procure a right-of-way that will be fully acceptable to the Los Angeles Board of Flood Control; second, that the plans and specifications for the construction of said works receive the endorsement of the Engineer of Flood Control; third, that said work be constructed in a manner acceptable to the Engineer and Board of Flood Control. As a great deal of consideration has already been given to these questions by our Engineering Department, we believe we can satisfy yourself and the Board of Flood Control in regard to the above points if you will kindly let us know what your requirements will be.

The channel of Verdugo Wash just west of our City Limits to a point two hundred feet west of Pacific avenue, a distance of three thousand two hundred (3200) feet, should be made in the same manner and at the same time that the work is done in the City of Glendale. There are six or seven bridges in the channel between the above mentioned points, every one of which is so constructed as to be a menace to the surrounding property. Some of these bridges should be eliminated altogether and the others replaced by single-span bridges. If some plan could be worked out whereby the county could advance the funds to construct this three thousand two hundred (3200) feet of protection work and remove some of those bridges and rebuild the others, it would be a great relief to all the property holders in that district, and would carry the flood waters to a point beyond where they would be liable to do much damage to surrounding property. The protection work should ultimately be carried down the channel to the Los Angeles River, but that portion of the channel beyond Pacific avenue could wait until your general plan is ready, as considerable work has been done on it last year by the county.

You must excuse us for advancing so many suggestions and seeming to be in such haste, but we have been trying to get something done to protect our city from the great danger of another overflow of the Verdugo Wash ever since the flood we had two years ago, which did a great deal of damage, although only a small portion of the water overflowed.

Should the wash change its course and the whole flood come through our city (and there is nothing to prevent it at this time), there is no telling what the damage might be.

Hoping you will give these matters your earliest consideration and that we may hear from you soon, I am
Yours sincerely,
T. W. WATSON,
City Manager.

Hall of Records,
Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 25, 1915.
Mr. T. W. Watson, City Manager,
Glendale, Cal.

Dear Sir: Yours of September 22d is at hand, and I am pleased to note your sentiment and progressive plans in this matter, and I do not hesitate to say that I would be glad to see the same sort of progression in other parts of the county.

I shall be very glad to further your

movement by the approval of a proper plan of channel and bank protection through your city. However, it may not be generally known that I have no assistants or means at command at present to aid in the execution of these plans myself, but the type of work which your city has already been doing farther up in Verdugo Canyon meets with my approval, and I feel certain that if you will have your City Engineer plan this type of work through your city from its uppermost boundary to your lower boundary, that it will be so nearly along my ideas that I will be able to expedite your work.

Your idea of a 70 or 100 foot easement is the correct one; in fact, an effort should be made now to secure an easement over a strip 100 feet wide if at all obtainable. This is the proper time to do it.

The City of Glendale is destined to grow a little faster than the other cities of Los Angeles' suburbs. Residential and other improvements will encroach just as close to this wash in the future as they can, and there may come a time when a 100-foot easement would be better, and I think now you should work as nearly to this width as you can.

The matter of the form of easement to these lands is now being studied.

The following is taken from the statute creating this district, describing the manner of preparing for record data relative to such work:

1. A general description of the work to be done.
2. General plans, profiles, cross sections, and general specifications of the work to be done.
3. A general description of the lands, rights of way, easement, and property proposed to be taken, acquired or injured in the carrying out of such work.
4. A map which shall show the location of the proposed work and improvements, the lands, rights of way, easements and property to be taken, acquired or injured in carrying out said work, and any other information in regard to the same that may be deemed necessary or useful.
5. An estimate of the cost of such work, including an estimate of the cost of the lands, rights of way, easements, property to be taken, etc.

Now, Mr. Lynch is so familiar with work of this kind, and probably has all this information compiled, that I would be very glad to see you get at this work this coming week.

3200 Feet Outside of City
Would like also if you will continue your plans, estimates, etc., down over these 3200 feet, showing where you think the official channel of Verdugo Wash should be laid, and by all means show where the present county highway bridges cross this wash, that I may recommend their removal.

Thanking you for your initiative in this matter, I am

Yours very truly,
JAS. W. REAGEN,
Engineer Flood Control.
County Surveyor's Office.

SUNLAND AND LITTLELANDS

The librarian, Miss Brissinden, announced at the town meeting the days on which the library will be open: Monday, Wednesday and Saturday afternoons; Tuesday and Friday evenings. The only change being on Friday evening instead of Saturday. The hours of the afternoon occurring just as in the past. The librarian also announced that 100 new books had arrived. Many of them having been sent in answer to the request of patrons of the library.

The committee on sign posts, Mr. Weiman and Mr. Barkley, announces that they have completed the placing of sign posts between Montrose and Littlelands.

Saturday evening there was a meeting at the club house of those interested in the canning industry. Because of the lateness of the season it was thought the factory could hardly be established in time for this year's crops. Several informal discussions were held pertaining to other matters concerning the welfare of the colony. Further development of the canning industry is awaited and it is hoped that before next season the business will be fully established.

James Dain who occupied a cottage near the east end of El Centro passed away at the county hospital Tuesday of last week. Tuberculosis was the cause of his death.

Miss Harriet Lee has returned to her home on Pine street after an extended visit with friends in Los Angeles.

President Steen of the board of directors of Littlelands store, motored to Los Angeles last Monday, called there by important business.

G. A. Osborne and family, Elizabeth Schnor and family spent Sunday at Santa Monica Canyon.

J. Cammer of Los Angeles spent Sunday here making some improvements on his property on Los Angeles street. Mr. Cammer and his wife intend moving to Littlelands in the near future.

It was announced in town meeting that any one was welcome to gather grapes at Mr. Fischer's ranch, free of cost.

Peaches are very cheap at present in the valley. Any one can procure them at the orchards for as low as ten cents per box.

Rev. Teel of San Ysidro road occupied the pulpit very acceptably both Sunday morning and evening at the Christian Federation last Sunday in the absence of the regular pastor, Rev. W. H. Wieman.

The addition to the Littlelanders store is about completed, the work being done by Mr. Steen, Dr. Kearney and Mr. F. O. Hough. Mr. Ward, manager of the store, will soon have on hand a supply of fresh meats and will be in a position to accommodate the community in this respect hereafter.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Powlowsky and Mrs. E. Varney of Lankershim visited Mrs. Nollenberger who is staying at the Monte Vista Park hotel, Sunday.

Mr. Frederick Johnson of North Pine street was a business visitor to Los Angeles on Wednesday.

Darwin Kirschman started his school year at Throop College, Pasadena, on Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Harmer of Pomona spent from Sunday until Thursday of this week visiting Mrs. Harmer's sister, Mrs. W. W. Eagler.

Mr. Webster of Hollywood is having his lot cleared on the corner of Third and Los Angeles and intends erecting a residence in the next month or so.

Mrs. T. C. Dunning of Central avenue and Mrs. Edward Darlington returned from a ten days' trip to Catalina Island the latter part of last week.

Dr. J. T. Gothard of Burbank commences this week to make weekly visits to Sunland in order to accommodate any who need dental work. His office will be at the Monte Vista Park hotel each Friday.

The board of trade of Sunland called a meeting of the parents of the high school students of the valley and appointed a committee to confer with the school board of Glendale to try to effect some change in their decision to not pay the full fare of the pupils of the valley to Glendale. It was learned that the board is allowed \$70 per year for each outside scholar and the county superintendent is reported to have said that he sees no reason why the expense of transportation should not be met by the board. Mr. Lancaster, Mr. Arthur Wells, Mrs. Van Batum, Mr. Warfield, A. D. Kirschman, Mr. Drake, Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Tomosson and S. D. Percy were appointed on the committee to wait upon the school board at Glendale.

Joseph Monaghan was found dead at his place of residence on Sunset boulevard on Monday evening by Mrs. Osborne, owner of the property, and the milkman. It is supposed that the deceased died sometime in the morning while dressing, as he was found laying across the bed, fully dressed with the exception of his coat and one shoe. Nothing much is known of him as he was very uncommunicative about his former place of residence and relatives if he has any. The Pulliam Undertaking company of Glendale was notified of his death and the body is held at their parlors pending further orders. Papers found on his body signified he was a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles of San Pedro, the secretary of which order has been notified of his death and asked for further information concerning his relatives and disposal of his body. A bank book was found which gave the information that he had plenty of money for burial expenses. It is supposed that he died from tuberculosis, although a coroner's inquest may be held.

Mrs. J. T. Ward of San Ysidro road was a Los Angeles caller last Saturday.

Alfred Blumfield and family and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tench are spending a couple of weeks at the exposition.

Mrs. J. I. M. Spencer is visiting relatives in Downey this week.

Mrs. George Berhardt returned last week from a visit with friends at Alhambra.

Dr. Moesel has moved to Littlelands in the Madame Hibbard residence on Hill street. Dr. Moesel lived in Littlelands a year ago.

C. Van Batum, who has been confined to his bed with lumbago, is now out and around, and resumed work on Capt. Hatch's residence on Monte Vista boulevard.

Miss Mabel Hatch fell last Friday evening sustaining injury to the siatic nerve.

Miss Louise Methfessel, contralto at the Wilshire Presbyterian church, will give a musicale at the Littlelands club house in about two weeks. In the rendition of her program she will be assisted by Mrs. Menner Dunn of Littlelands whose expression and technique have pleased all lovers of

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music who have been fortunate in having heard her. Residents of Monte Vista Valley will spend an enjoyable evening listening to the delightful tones of a cultivated voice and the charming melodies, sonatas and etudes of Chopin, Rubenstein and Mendelssohn. Miss Methfessel, well known in musical circles in Los Angeles, studied under the instructor of music at Oberlin College and leading musicians of Southern California. Mrs. Dunn was fortunate in having had instruction from Mrs. P. Nelson, a graduate of the Royal Conservatory of Copenhagen, Denmark, and Mrs. Marshall of Portland, formerly assistant to America's greatest pianist, William Sherwood.

LA CANADA

Mr. and Mrs. Seright Sr. and Mr. Sam Seright are in attendance at the who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. San Francisco fair. Mr. Sam Seright Wilbur Seright will go from San Francisco to his home in Zanesville, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Seright Jr. will return here within a few days where they will spend a few months in our valley.

Mr. Joseph Dietle of North School street was arrested on Monday by a Los Angeles officer. The charge brought against Mr. Dietle was that of selling intoxicating liquors illegally. There had been complaint against him for some time but until this time no official charges had been brought against him. The trial took place in Judge Miller's court at Glendale. Mr. Reddy, Tom Hall, D. J. Green and Phillip Begue were called as witnesses against Mr. Dietle. During the trial two jugs were displayed which were said to belong to Mr. Dietle and were brought from his wine cellar. While on the witness stand Mr. Dietle created quite a bit

of amusement by saying that the jugs were filled by the detectives at his home and after tasting the liquids he stated that in their excitement and anxiety the detectives by mistake had filled the jugs from the vinegar barrel instead of the wine barrel. There was no definite proof against Mr. Dietle except that people in general knew that Mexicans had been known to come from his place intoxicated. The decision rendered him not guilty on the first ballot.

A meeting of the property owners on School street met Tuesday night at the Allendale ranch on School street. The purpose of the meeting was to organize the property owners into an association which would look after the beautifying of School street. Rev. Lane was elected president of the association and Mr. Harold Dale secretary. It was decided that if it was possible when School street was paved that it should be made between 50 and 60 feet wide. It was also decided that new homes built from now on should be at least 50 feet from the road. A building restriction was spoken of but it was thought better to leave that until a later date.

Last Thursday a meeting of the property owners on Burr avenue was held at the home of Mr. B. D. Jackson. Many things in regard to the betterment of the street were talked of but no actual business was transacted.

Mrs. Murray of Burbank, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Smith, has recently sold out her business in Burbank and is spending a few days with her parents here in La Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Stutman and family and Mrs. J. H. Armstrong spent last Thursday at Long Beach.

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